



THE NEW OPERA
Playbill for May 2008

5 May, Monday, 19:00

Cavalleria Rusticana - P.Mascagni

Musical drama in one act

Conductor Valery KRITSKOV
Stage Director Kari HEISKANEN
Set Designer Ernst HEIDEBREHT
Costume Designer Maria DANILOVA

I Pagliacci - R.Leoncavallo

Musical drama in one act

Music Director and Conductor Anatoly GUS
Stage Director Kari HEISKANEN
Set Designer Ernst HEIDEBREHT
Costume Designer Maria DANILOVA

7 May, Wednesday, 12:00

L'Elisir d'Amore - G.Donizetti

Comic opera in two acts

PREMIERE

Music Director Eri Klas, chief conductor of the theatre

Conductor Dmitry Volosnikov

Stage Director Yury Alexandrov

Set and Costume Designer Vyacheslav Okunev

12 May, Monday, 19:00

Spartacus - A.Khachaturyan

Ballet in two parts

The Kasatkina and Vasilöv State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

Stage Directors and Nataliya Kasatkina

Choreographers Vladimir Vasilyov

Set Designer Iosif Sumbatashvili

Costume Designer Elizaveta Dvorkina

Novaya Opera Orchestra

Conductor Valery Kritskov

13 May, Tuesday, 19:00

Strauss Gala

Playful ballet-contest



The Kasatkina and Vasilöv State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

Stage Directors, Librettists and Choreographers Nataliya Kasatkina

Vladimir Vasilyov

Set and Costume Designer Elizaveta Dvorkina

Novaya Opera Orchestra

Conductor Dmitry Volosnikov

14 May, Wednesday, 19:00

"Bravissimo!"

Opera mix in two parts

Music Director and Conductor Dmitry Volosnikov

Choreographer Ivan Fadeyev

Set Designer Viktor Gerasimenko

Costume Designer Maria Danilova

15 May, Thursday, 19:00

Eugene Onegin – P.Tchaikovsky

Seven lyrical scenes

Musical version by Evgeny Kolobov

Conductor Anatoly Gus

Stage Director Sergei Artsibashev

Set Designer Sergei Barkhin

Costume Designer Eleonora Maklakova

16 May, Friday, 19:00

Die Zauberflöte - W.A. Mozart

Opera in two acts

Music Director Eri Klas, chief conductor of the theatre

Conductor Anatoly Gus

Stage Director, Set and Costume Designer Achim Freyer

20 May, Tuesday, 19:00

O Mozart! Mozart..., based on Rimsky-Korsakov's Mozart and Salieri and Mozart's Requiem

Requiem in two parts

Musical version by Evgeny Kolobov

Conductor Felix Korobov



Stage Director Vladimir Vasiliev

Set and Costume Designers Rafail Volsky

Victor Volsky

21 May, Wednesday, 19:00

The Sleeping Beauty - P.Tchaikovsky

Ballet in two parts based on Charles Perrault's fairy tales

The Kasatkina and Vasilöv State Academic Classical Ballet Theatre

Choreographers Marius Petipa

Nataliya Kasatkina

Vladimir Vasilyov

Set and Costume Designer Elizaveta Dvorkina

Novaya Opera Orchestra

Conductor Valery Kritskov

22 May, Saturday, 19:00

Classical Opera Masterpieces

Gala concert in two parts

Novaya Opera soloists and orchestra

Conductor Evgeny Samoilov

23 May, Friday, 19:00

Lohengrin - R.Wagner

Opera in three acts

PREMIERE

Music Director Eri Klas, chief conductor of the theatre

Conductor Valery Kritskov

Stage Director Kasper Bech Holten

Assistant Satge Director Mette Fogh Hedegaard

Set and Costume Designer Steffen Aarfing

Lighting Designer Jesper Kongshaug

Choirmasters Natalya Popovich, chief choirmaster of the theatre

Victor Kuturaev

Andrey Lazarev

Igor Manko

27 May, Tuesday, 19:00

La Traviata - G.Verdi



Based on the opera by Giuseppe Verdi in two acts

Musical version by Evgeny Kolobov

Conductor Dmitry Volosnikov

Stage Director Alla Sigalova

Set Designer Ernst Heidebreht

Costume Designer Maria Danilova

28 May, Wednesday, 19:00

The Demon -A.Rubinstein

Opera in two acts

Music Director Evgeny Samoilov

Conductor Valery Kritskov

Stage Director Mikhail Efremov

Set and Costume Designer Viktor Gerasimenko

29 May, Thursday, 19:00

Maria Callas. Musical offering

Music Director and Conductor Dmitry Volosnikov

Stage Director Ivan Fadeyev

Designer Viktor Gerasimenko
